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Sons of Union Veterans
of the Civil War**



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GENERAL ORDERS

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The 92nd National Encampment held at Grand Rapids, Michigan is now history. At that meeting you bestowed on me the highest honor that can be given a member. The Honor of serving as your National President. Recognizing the responsibility this office carries. I will do all in my power to uphold the confidence and trust you have placed in my keeping.

To Caroline Riddell, Past National President, and to all the members who took part in the Installation I am especially grateful. Thank you.

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HISTORICAL

Mrs. Irene K. Murphy, P.N.P., Chairman, 2025 Cleveland Avenue, West Lawn, Pa. 19609, Mrs. Emma Wheeler, P.N.P., New Hampshire, Mrs. Margaret Underwood, D.P., Michigan.

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Members are asked to get in touch with their chairman, sending them your correct address.

RECOMMENDATIONS ADOPTED AT THE 92nd ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT

From the National President's report:

Recommendation #1: That one page in our Proceedings, with photograph, be dedicated to the memory of Past National President Anna I. Stoudt.

Recommendation #2: That, after hearing the report of the Committee on Membership-at-Large, we adopt such a program, patterned after the Sons' program.

Recommendation #3: That the Per Capita Tax remain the same for the coming year.

Recommendation #4: That we set up a Life Membership Program, patterned after the Sons' Life Membership Program.

Recommendation #5: That we set up an Honor Roll Fund, patterned after the Sons' Honor Roll Fund.

Recommendation #6: That we give our usual Love Token of \$500 to the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War at this Encampment.

Recommendation #7: That we continue to award an annual scholarship of \$350 to a recipient of the National President's choice.

Recommendation #8: That the incoming National President be authorized to purchase new regalia, to replace the ones that are in poor condition.

Recommendation #9: That a committee of five be appointed to serve until 1983 to study the past history of our Organization and to plan for an appropriate observance of our 100th Anniversary, to be known as the 100th Anniversary Committee.

Recommendation #10: That a low-key appeal be made for contributions for our 100th Anniversary observance, to be known as the 100th Anniversary Fund; such contributions to be made payable to the National Treasurer but handled by, and all records kept by, the chairman of the 100th Anniversary Committee.

Recommendation #11: That we continue the wreath presentations as in past years, but that the annual gift presented to the Cathedral of the Pines in Rindge, New Hampshire, be increased to \$25 annually.

From the National Treasurer's report:

Recommendation #1: That we invest \$5000 of the Patriotic Instructor savings fund in a 4-year Certificate of Deposit at $7\frac{1}{2}\%$ interest.

Recommendation #2: That, if it becomes necessary during the next fiscal year, the National Treasurer be authorized to draw the interest from the general savings account and the Patriotic Instructor savings fund, and also whatever principal amount of the general savings account might be required to cover operating expenses.

From the Legislative Committee report:

Recommendation #1: That we believe Memorial Day should rightfully be observed on May 30 and to further that belief, we urge the Congress to consider and enact appropriate legislation to bring about that goal.

Recommendation #2: That we believe our national battlefield sites should be enlarged and enhanced as appropriate to keep green the knowledge of the sacrifices made by our forebears to preserve liberty and the well-being of our nation.

Recommendation #3: That we support the effort in Congress to authorize the likeness of a woman on the face of the proposed one dollar coin as a symbolic means of recognizing the contributions and sacrifices made by American womanhood throughout our history as a nation.

Recommendation #4: That we support all efforts to strengthen and maintain the authority of the family in our society and actively oppose efforts to reduce or undermine the importance of the family as a social group.

From the Constitution, Rules and Regulations Committee report:

That Article X of Chapter IV, General Regulations "Eligibility to Office" be amended to read as follows, effective at once:

A member in good standing in her own Auxiliary is eligible to any office in the Department except that of *Department Vice-President* or Department President. A candidate for the office of *Department Vice-President* or Department President must be a past Auxiliary President. A candidate for the office of *National Vice-President* or National President must be a Past President of her Department.

From the Badge Committee report:

Recommendation #1: That we eliminate the Auxiliary President, Secretary and Treasurer badges from our supplies, and continue to issue membership badges with the proper officer ribbon in our supplies for new auxiliaries.

Recommendation #2: That we eliminate the 25-year gold and silver charms, the small 6/16" charms and the Past President pins from our supplies when the present supplies are exhausted.

Recommendation #3: That we no longer special order the Lavalliere, and that we eliminate it from our price list.

SUPPLIES

All orders for supplies should be sent on blanks provided for that purpose to, Miss M. Helen Loll, National Treasurer, 3601 N. Fifth Avenue, 107, Phoenix, Arizona 85013. Checks or money orders in the correct amount should be made payable to the National Treasurer and mailed with the order.

Sister Loll has asked me to publish the following changes in the supply list.

Cash Book	\$2.50
Descriptive Book	2.50
Minute Book	2.50
Auxiliary Secretary Requisition Book	1.25
Auxiliary Treasurer Receipt Book	1.15
Department Secretary Requisition Book	1.35
Department Treasurer Receipt Book	1.45

THE BANNER

Each member is urged to subscribe to THE BANNER to keep abreast of the activities of all Departments. Send name, address, zip code and check or money order for \$2.00 to Mr. Albert W. Lambert, Editor, P.O. Box 673, Naperville, Illinois 60540. Present subscription expires with the October issue, so all renewals and new subscriptions should be mailed to Brother Lambert well in advance of the January issue.

COMMITTEE ON ADOPTED PROGRAMS

MEMBERSHIP AT LARGE, AUXILIARY NATIONAL LIFE MEMBERSHIP,
NATIONAL AUXILIARY.

HONOR ROLL

Co-ordinator, Mrs. Marion E. Combs, P.N.P., Chairman, P.O. Box 6193, Lawrenceville, New Jersey 08648, Mrs. Edna S. Lambert, P.N.P., New Jersey, Miss M. Helen Loll, National Treasurer, New Jersey.

NATIONAL AUXILIARY 100th BIRTHDAY 1983

HISTORY

Mrs. Caroline E. Riddell, P.N.P., Chairman, 3437 N. Howard Street, Philadel-

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Members of these two committees will serve for a term of five years.

QUARTERLY REPORTS

Sisters please send in quarterly reports promptly after the close of each quarter. Per Capita Tax checks should be made payable to the National Treasurer, Miss M. Helen Loll and mailed with reports to the National Secretary, Miss Viola L. Bremme, 4724 N. Mascher Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 19120.

INSPECTIONS

All Auxiliaries must be inspected once a year, at a time regulated by their Department By-Laws.

ELECTIONS AND INSTALLATIONS

Election of Department and Auxiliary Delegates to your Department and to the National Encampments should be made at the same time as your elections, these to be in conformity with the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, along with joint public Installations when ever possible. Alternates should be elected at this time also.

PUBLICITY

Auxiliary Press Correspondents please make every effort to keep before the public the work of our Organization, forward items of interest to your Department Press Correspondent who will in turn forward noteworthy news to our National Press Correspondent.

ATTENTION DEPARTMENT PRESIDENTS

I urgently request that you forward to me the names and addresses of one of your active Sisters from each Auxiliary in your Department. These appointed Sisters will serve as National Aides with the National Chief-of-Staff. Please attend to this at your earliest convenience. Also I would like to receive from you the dates and locations of your Department Encampments for 1979. I must have this information to plan my itinerary.

APPRECIATION

Our National Organization extends sincere thanks to the 1977-1978 National Aides and the National Chief-of-Staff, Sister Hilda Junge, for the splendid job. WELL DONE, and as they are relieved of their duties we know that they will continue their interest in Our Order.

DEDICATION DAY

November 19th the Anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, is an important date to all of the Grand Army Family. Please observe this day locally where possible and make a special effort to attend the Remembrance Day Exercises at Gettysburg, Saturday, November 18th, 1978 and the Annual Dedication Dinner, sponsored by Past Commanders and Past Presidents Association of South Central Pennsylvania. Direct all correspondence to, Mr. Ivan E. Frantz, 559 W. Jackson Street, York, Pa. 17403.

HOLIDAYS TO REMEMBER

November 23rd Thanksgiving Day. A time to pause, to look around us and give Thanks, for the many opportunities that life in these United States have given us. We give our Thanks to the Heavenly Father that has made all these things possible.

December 25th to each and every member of the Auxiliary, the Sons and to the other Orders of the Allied Family, sincere good wishes for the Happiest of the Holiday Seasons, with good health, and prosperity in the New Year.

BEST WISHES

The sympathy of the National Organization is extended to Sister Claire M. Monahan, National Vice President, in the loss of her Aunt. To others that may have lost a loved one, to you we also extend Our Sympathy.

He, comes so softly in the night to call our loved ones home.

For those that have been ill or had sickness in the home, we wish for you and yours a speedy recovery.

GREETINGS

To Brother Richard L. Greenwalt, Commander in Chief, S.U.V.C.W. Congratulations and best wishes to you and your staff for a most successful and profitable year. The National Family of the Auxiliary pledges its continued support.

To the National Presidents of our Sister Organizations, Darley Foster, Women's Relief Corps, Eleanor Krohn, Ladies of the Grand Army, and Jane Riley, Daughters of the Union Veterans, I pledge our continued loyalty, as we work together to keep alive the memory of those that gave so much, that we might live in a land undivided.

CHANGE OF ADDRESSES

P.N.P. Mrs. Lenore D. Glass, 1567 Alta Glen Drive, Apt. 4, San Jose, California 95125 and P.N.P. Miss Flora D. Bates, 65 Frank Street, Apt. 121, Worcester, Massachusetts 01604.

HEADQUARTERS

Headquarters are established at my home address, and all communications should be referred to that address.

In closing these first General Orders I thank all of you for the privilege of serving as your National President, and appeal to all of you for your continued support for my staff and I. Our organization can only prosper and grow with that support.

Remembering all things are possible. In unity, there is strength, In strength the WILL to Grow.

I shall pass through this world but once.
Any good therefore, that I can do,
Or any kindness that I can show to any human being
Let me do it now, let me not deter or neglect,
For I shall not pass this way again.

Your in Fraternity, Charity & Loyalty
Florence H. Forbey
National President

Attest
Viola L. Bremme
National Secretary